



UPDATED St. Gabriel 2026-2027 Confirmation Calendar

SEPTEMBER	
20th Choosing a Sponsor Session w/ Parents	Sunday, September 20th - Blessing and Presentation of Confirmation Class to Congregation - Parish Center - 3:30-4:30 / Church - 4:30-5:00 w/ Parents ❖ I. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church
OCTOBER	
4th & 18th & 23rd	Sunday, October 4th - Bedford Hall / Church - Parent Session ❖ II. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church Sunday, October 18th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ III. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church Friday, October 23rd – Faith Formation Conference & Youth Day ❖ 4:45 PM -9:30 PM Confirmand & Core Team ❖ St. Matthew's Church 1 Notre Dame Ave, San Mateo, CA 94402 - Plan drop off at 4:45 PM. Families invited to attend evening mass. More details to follow.
NOVEMBER	
8th & 18th	Sunday, November 8th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ IV. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church November 18th - Church - Sponsor & Confirmand Session ❖ V. Confirmation Session with Sponsor -6:30-7:30 (note: if Sponsor is not available, a parent must attend and share information with the Sponsor.)
DECEMBER	
6th	Sunday, December 6th Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ VI. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center. Choosing a Saint and Confirmation Name ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church



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JANUARY	
10th & 18th & 24th	Sunday, January 10th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ VII. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church Monday, January 18th – MLK Holiday; Confirmand Volunteer Service ❖ 9:30-12:30 - SAVE THE DATE. ❖ More details to follow. Sunday, January 24th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ VIII. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church
FEBRUARY	
7th & 28th	Sunday, February 7th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ IX. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church Sunday, February 28th - Bedford Hall / Church / Parish Center ❖ X. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church
MARCH	
5th & 14th	HOLD - Saturday, March 5th Lenten Sandwich Sunday Community Event - Parish Center - TIME: Team 1: 9:30-11:30 OR Team 2: 10:00-12:00 - There will be a sign up. Sunday, March 14th - Parish Center ❖ XI. Confirmation Preparation Class - 3:30-5:00- St. Gabriel Parish Center ❖ 5:00-5:15 Break ❖ Youth Mass with Parents/Guardians - 5:30 - St. Gabriel Church



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APRIL

**10th, 15th
& 17th**

Saturday, April 10th – Mandatory Confirmation Day Retreat:

- ❖ Day of Prayer and Sacrament of Reconciliation. Location: TBD
- ❖ All Families expected to attend 5:00 pm mass, Sponsors are welcome to attend

Thursday, April 15th, 6:00-7:00 Preparation/Rehearsal - St. Gabriel Church

Saturday, April 17th Confirmation Day: All Confirmand & Sponsors **must arrive at 10:15 AM in Bedford Hall** Confirmation ceremony: 11:00 AM-1:00 PM